

AO91 (Rev. 12/03) Criminal Complaint

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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**Southern District of Texas  
FILED

July 23, 2024

Southern District Of Texas Brownsville Division

Nathan Ochsner, Clerk of Court

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA****CRIMINAL COMPLAINT**

vs.

Case Number: 1:24-MJ-416

Ruperto PUENTE-Parga

A027 218 998 Mexico

AKA Jose Luiz RODRIGUEZ-Lopez

I, the undersigned complainant state that the following is true and correct to the best of my

knowledge and belief. On or about July 21, 2024 in Cameron County, inthe Southern District Of Texas defendant(s)

an alien who had previously been denied admission, excluded, deported, or removed, knowingly and unlawfully was present in the United States having been found in Cameron County, Texas, the said defendant having not obtained the consent of the Attorney General or the Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security to reapply for admission into the United States,


in violation of Title 8 United States Code, Section(s) 1326(a)(1)

I further state that I am a(n) Border Patrol Agent and that this complaint is based on the following facts:

The defendant was encountered by Border Patrol agents conducting Linewatch operations near Brownsville, Texas on July 21, 2024. The defendant is a citizen and national of Mexico who was previously deported, excluded or removed from the United States on January 16, 2018. Record checks revealed that the defendant has not applied for permission from the proper Authorities to re-enter the United States.

Defendant had \$1,850.00 Mexican Pesos in his possession at time of arrest.

Continued on the attached sheet and made a part of this complaint:

☐ Yes ☒ No
  
 Signature of Complainant

Garza, Carlos Border Patrol Agent  
 Printed Name of Complainant

Submitted by reliable electronic means, sworn to, signature attested telephonically per Fed.R.Crim.P.4.1, on

July 23, 2024

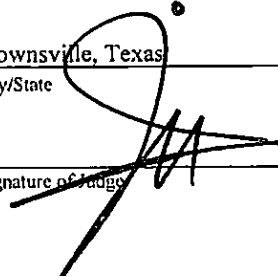
Date

at

Brownsville, Texas  
 City/State

Ignacio Torteya III  
 Name of Judge

U.S. Magistrate Judge  
 Title of Judge

  
 Signature of Judge